

November 25, 2008

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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
Office of the Secretary  
445 12th Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Request for Waiver**

**Re: Appeal Funding Year 2008 Form 471 Postmarked Outside of Window**

Dear Marlene:

My name is Scott Paterek from South Buffalo Charter School, (BEN: 223174) I am writing you today asking for a request for waiver regarding the out of window filing for the Form 471 funding year 2008 -2009. My lack of proper knowledge of the E-Rate process caused my inability to file this form on time. I was late filing my Form 471 due to my waiting on a response from my Form 470. I was unaware until after the filing date closed for the Form 471 that I did not have to file a Form 470 because South Buffalo Charter School had a prior service contract through E-Rate in place with One Communications of New York, Inc. which bypassed the need to file a Form 470.

I ask that you please review my case and know that I am taking the proper steps to prevent any late filings in the future.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration with this issue,



Scott M. Paterek

Appellant Name: Scott M. Paterek  
Service Provider Name: One Communications of New York, Inc.  
BEN: 223174  
Form Identifier: 471-08-ONE  
Application Number: 641326



**Universal Service Administrative Company**  
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**Administrator's Decision on Appeal – Funding Year 2008-2009**

November 19, 2008

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Re: Applicant Name: SOUTH BUFFALO CHARTER SCHOOL  
Billed Entity Number: 223174  
Form 471 Application Number: 641326  
Funding Request Number(s): 1777476, 1777477  
Your Correspondence Received: November 04, 2008

The Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) received your request for a waiver of the Application Filing Deadline for Funding Year 2008 of the Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism.

Federal Communications Commission (FCC) rules do not permit USAC to consider requests for waivers. If you believe there is a basis for further examination of your request, you may file a waiver request with the FCC. You should refer to CC Docket No. 02-6 on the first page of your waiver request to the FCC. If you are submitting your waiver request via United States Postal Service, send to: FCC, Office of the Secretary, 445 12th Street SW, Washington, DC 20554. Further information and options for filing a waiver request with the FCC can be found in the "Appeals Procedure" posted in the Reference Area of the SLD section of the USAC website or by contacting the Client Service Bureau. We strongly recommend that you use the electronic filing options.

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